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Ms. Magalie Roman Salas Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th St. S.W. Washington, DC 20554

Re: CC Docket No. 99-200

Dear Ms. Salas:

On December 7, 2001, I spoke by telephone with Bryan Tramont, Senior Advisor to Commissioner Abernathy. The communication, occurring during the Sunshine period was not a prohibited presentation because it occurred at Mr. Tramont's request. See 47 C.F.R. § 1.1204(a)(10). Mr. Tramont initiated this communication in order to discuss questions he had about pooling cost recovery issues now before the Commission in this docket. The information I shared with him can be found in the BellSouth *ex parte* notices with attachments filed in this docket on November 15, 2001, October 2, 2001, and July 2, 2001, copies of which I had already shared with Mr. Tramont on December 5, 2001.

As required by Sections 1.1204(a)(10) (iii) and 1.1206(b)(2) of the Commission's rules, I am filing two copies of this notice and ask that you place this notification in the record of the proceeding identified above. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Kathleen B. Levitz

cc: Bryan Tramont